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MORPHOLOGY OF LARWOOD GENEALOGY:

Being

A Prefatory Tabulation of the Relationships
and Descents of Members of the
Larwood Family in America
since circa 1720;

Preparatory

To a Full Account of the History and
Nomenclature of the name in England
since circa 1300, with its transitions
through De la Wode, Larwode, (Delawood),
Larawode, Larrawood to Larwood.

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Page 9 - Table V-B :- Andrew Clinton McKnight:

The confusion in the date of birth of this person was satisfactorily explained and corrected in a letter dated April 31, 1933, from L. B. Smith, of the Smith Coal Company, Decatur, Alabama. The date of birth of Nov. 2, 1869, as here shown, should be corrected to that of Nov. 2, 1870.

Page 9 - Table V-B :- Mary Elizabeth (Larwood) McKnight - Died, 1936

Page 12- Table V-D :- William Thomas Larwood - Died, October 31, 1937

FOREWORD

The desire of an individual to have in his possession, for reference or study, authentic information on his family and its usually many branches, is natural today among nearly all peoples. The traditional method of preserving family facts and general information is the "Family Bible." So, also, is the tombstone and its inscription a medium of individual statement. Generally speaking, however, the bible and the tombstone are both rendered inadequate to their purpose after a time: the bible because it cannot afford sufficient space for all entries; the tombstone because of its normally wide distribution over one or more countries, states or counties. Furthermore, bibles are lost, stolen or accidentally destroyed, and grave-markers crumble or are wrecked, grow up in weeds or are lost to memory. These several conditions have all contributed to the necessity of some more certain method of preservation and arrangement, in this case an account presentation in the form of "Tables." The "Morphology of Larwood Genealogy" is an attempted outline of the structure of the Larwood Family in America.

The present compilation, therefore, is in no sense to be understood as a complete "genealogy." Simultaneously with efforts to obtain data on the Larwood Family in America, a further research has been carried on with a view of determining the birth of the name, the original stock and as much of the history, both as to name and family, as could be ascertained. To this end the New York Public Library has been, and is being, searched for any information of value. The British Museum has kindly furnished photostats of XVth century manuscript folios. Correspondence has been established with persons of the name now living in England. Withal, it is the hope, not only of the present compiler, but of others as well, to present at a later date a completely documented genealogy of LARWOOD, from the early XIVth century and the time of Richard de la Wode and Walter de la Wode, through the singular and shadowy John Larwode (Johannes Larwode) buried as "generosus" in the now disappeared Gray Friars Abbey in London, to the most recent bearer of the name. In this connection, and at this time, it may be both well and pertinent to set at rest forever a legend current in this family for over a century: the name and the stock (in America) are English "to the core"; nor has there ever been a connection with France, either as homeland of the American stock or as spelling in the name. Since the XVIth century the name has been spelled "Larwood," with the one exception of "Delawood." The spelling "Learwood" - the beliefs of some members of the family notwithstanding - was never the original spelling of the name, although it is true one individual in the early part of the XIXth century so chose that spelling.

The scheme of relationships here presented will serve to establish a means of determining legal relationships in the event of disputed descents caused by deaths intestate. For this reason the "Tables" have potential value, as well as sentimental interest, for all concerned, and should be carefully preserved for the first -- if not for the second -- consideration. Again, it will be well if all generations herein concerned continue to tabulate their histories, and in this way keep alive and progressive a record which has too long remained unchronicled. It is to be regretted, in this respect, that the present compilation could not record marriage dates of second and third generations, or birth dates of most non-blood family members (i.e., those whose family connections are by marriage solely). Only the physical limitations of the actual pages themselves precluded the incorporation of such data.

Initiation of work toward the compilation of this "Morphology" was begun in the last months of 1926, and -- with one interruption -- has progressed steadily

since that period. The compiler wishes particularly at this time to extend his appreciation to several members of the family for their interest and specific contributions, without which the general completeness and authenticity of this record would be seriously impaired. To Miss Anna Larwood, of Westville and Oklahoma City, Okla., he pays grateful acknowledgement for her work in securing data relative to those branches of the family now residing in the Southwest; for her causes and descriptions of the Westward migration; for her pains in locating individuals, and for her suggestions during the past six years. Mr. Charles Monroe Larwood, also of Westville, and Mr. William Thomas Larwood, of Scio, Ore., have both been especially helpful in supplying names and dates of early members; and Mr. C. M. Larwood particularly for furnishing a copy of the family record of 1852. Mr. Samuel Nathan Larwood, of Fayetteville, Tenn., was of unusual assistance in supplying the names of nearly all of the older living members of the family, together with their addresses, and also in furnishing much earlier name and date data. Mr. J. M. Norwood, formerly of Delina, Tenn., and now deceased, whose mother, born in 1806, was the second child of Edmond Franklin Larwood, II, kindly submitted much of the information incorporated in Tables II and III. To all others -- and there have been many -- who contributed complete statements of their respective families, who assisted in locating others and other individuals, and whose various assistance has proven invaluable, the compiler wishes to extend thanks.

There may be -- and very possibly are -- a few discrepancies in the present record, although the utmost diligence has been exercised in its preparation and fact transferance from original letters and lists. Should such discrepancies be found, their correction should be sent to the compiler for incorporation in a later revision. However, all such "finders" should be prepared to document their statements by like opinions from others, for no one contra opinion (to that of the compiler) will be accepted when such opinion concerns an individual (a) of fifty years or more prior birth; or (b) outside of the "finder's" own family branch. It is suggested, in this respect, that concurring opinions be obtained from individuals of other family branches. The foregoing reservations will be seen to be necessary to preclude any change in the record through dependence upon "memory" alone, rather than upon fact.

For the benefit of others engaged in similar undertakings, and as well to insure certain preservation for future reference, copies of this "Morphology" will be deposited in public libraries in New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Washington, Chicago, Nashville, Kansas City, Dallas, Detroit, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Ore., in London and Manchester, England; in Paris; in Montreal and Toronto, Canada, and in other important cities in the United States..

JAMES LARWOOD

Errata

(a) An error in pagination is responsible for the omission of page (13)

(b) In Table V - A, page (5) -- The entry of Virda Louise has accidentally been placed before that of Era Catherine.

TABLE I

John (?) Edmond (?) Larwood:- Born (Circa 1720) in Norfolk County, England; died (Circa 1750) in North Carolina (?); married _____; and had:

Name	Born	Died	Married
John	(Circa) 1742		Bachelor
Mary	" 1744		Richard Tankersly
Agatha	" 1746		Charles Denny
Frances	" 1748		Benjamin Denny
Edmond	" 1750	1789 (?)	(Married)
By Maternal Second Marriage:			
John Ripley	" 1755		Graden Ambrose
Ripley			1. (Widow) Dalsbarthe
			2. Barrentine
Pleasant Ripley			Shadwick
Elizabeth Ripley			John Murray
Mildred Ripley			Equiviler Yearns

TABLE II

Edmond Larwood:- Born (Circa 1750) in North Carolina (?); died (Circa 1789) in Laurens County, South Carolina; married _____; and had:

Name	Born	Died	Married
Thomas	(Circa) 1777		Rogers
John	" 1779		Shockley
Elizabeth	" 1781		William Moore
Edmond Franklin, I	1782	1859	Tabitha Joel
Anna	" 1785		Spinster
Mary	" 1787		John Joel

TABLE III

Edmond Franklin Larwood, I:- Born, 1782, in Laurens County, South Carolina; died, 1859, at Delina, Tennessee; married Tabitha Joel in (Circa 1803); and had:

Name	Born	Died	
Anna	1804		Stapleton
Lucinda	1806		William Norwood
Ambrose Ripley	1808		Bachelor
Reuben			
Charles Lavender			Bachelor
Jasper	1815		Elizabeth Murdock
Elizabeth			John Watson
Thomas			Harriet McAfee
Mary (Polly)			Spinster
Edmond Franklin, II	Jan. 14, 1827	Dec. 2, 1908	Louisa Murdock

TABLE IV

Edmond Franklin Larwood, II:- Born, Jan. 14, 1827, in Madison County, Alabama; died, Dec. 2, 1908, in Marshall County, Tennessee; married, Jan. 25, 1849, to Louisa Murdock (Dec. 25, 1829 - Apr. 16, 1903); and had:

Name	Born	Died	Married
John Franklin	Dec. 5, 1849	Nov. 1, 1920	Sarah Davis
Mary Elizabeth	Mar. 10, 1852		William Robt. McKnight
Samuel Nathan	Feb. 15, 1856		Nancy Haislip
William Thomas	Sept. 17, 1860		Cornelia J. Sanders
Amanda Josephine	May 5, 1862	Oct. 24, 1877	Spinster
Charles Munroe	Feb. 3, 1866		Sarah M. Brewer
Rufus Edmond	July 4, 1870	July 1, 1916	Mary Frances Lyons

TABLE V - A

John Franklin Larwood:- Born, Dec. 5, 1849, at Delina, Tennessee; died, Nov. 1, 1920, in Marshall County, Tennessee; married Sarah Davis; and had:

Name		Born	Died	Married
Louisa Hastletina	(1)	Apr. 14, 1870		1. Elijah L. Pigg (Z) 2. Otis C. Pigg (Y) 3. John C. Hobbs (X) 4. John Finley
Elizabeth Elender	(2)	Sept. 7, 1872		Robert C. Pigg
James Oliver Ripley	(3)	Dec. 16, 1875		Myrtle Barnes
Mary Frances	(4)	Mar. 6, 1878		William M. Hazelwood
Thomas	(5)	Dec. 28, 1880		Beulah May Lane
Leona Victoria	(6)	Apr. 1, 1883		Thomas Alfred Luna
Carrie	(7)	Mar. 1, 1889		Walter C. Massey

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WHO HAD:-

Name	Born	Married	Born
(1)			
By E. L. Pigg:			
Sarah Loretta	Feb. 6, 1890	(Died Feb. 25, 1891)	
By O. C. Pigg:			
Lillie Pearl	Sept. 4, 1892 -	S. Bruce Reed (and had:	
		(a) Lawrence	July 15, 1910
		(b) Lyndal (W)	Jan. 8, 1912
		(c) Brucile	July 23, 1916
		(d) Mildred	Feb. 18, 1919
Virda Louise	Mar. 11, 1895 -	Louis B. McCollum (and had:	
		(a) Maple Edwina (V)	July 28, 1912
		(b) Lillard Byron	Nov. 21, 1917
		(c) Doris Louise	Nov. 21, 1925
Era Catherine	Mar. 1, 1894 -	Ernest Grady King (and had:	
		(a) Maurice G.	Apr. 13, 1919
		(b) Otis Charles (U)	Aug. 20, 1925
		(c) Norma Jean	Jan. 24, 1930

(Table V - A Cont.)

Name	Born	Married	Born
(1. Cont.)			
Thomas Howard	July 13, 1903	- Waynona Melton (and had:	
		(a) Otis Horace	May 18, 1922
		(b) Thomas Lynne	Apr. 18, 1925
Arthur Loyd	Nov. 19, 1905	- Anna Belle Rigsby (and had:	
		(a) Emily Kathleen	Nov. 1, 1927
		(b) Leonard Ellis	Apr. 25, 1929
		(c) Dorothy Ruth	Nov. 7, 1932
Leona Modena	July 12, 1908	- (Died Nov. 20, 1910)	
(2)			
James C.	Feb. 12, 1891	- Mazie Endsley (and had:	
		(a) Valta Lee	Oct. 20, 1917
		(b) James Russell	Nov. 5, 1920
		(c) William Edgar	June 16, 1923
		(d) Harold Wayne	Oct. 1, 1925
Odie Lee (T)	Oct. 28, 1892	- Narcie Alma Allen (and had:	
		(a) Gladys Dulene (S)	Sept. 26, 1917
Rossie B.	Apr. 23, 1896	- Lilyan Caldonie Adams	
Clarence Oliver	Jan. 21, 1898	- Minnie Louise Davis (and had:	
		(a) Robert Davis	Mar. 30, 1921
		(b) Samuel Lee	Jan. 13, 1923
		(c) Elizabeth	Apr. 29, 1927
Thomas Robert	Nov. 25, 1901	- Zelma Avitt (and had:	
		(a) Doris Jean	Feb. 15, 1932
Mary Caroline	Sept. 4, 1904	- Laymon B. Edmondson (and had:	
		(a) Brandon Lee	June 14, 1923
		(b) Gerolene	July 21, 1925
		(c) Robert Toke	Oct. 25, 1932
Margaret Louise	June 19, 1907	- James Ray Bradford (and had:	
		(a) Kinnard Wirt	June 10, 1926
		(b) Gladys Jean	Dec. 16, 1930
		(c) Doris Dean (R)	Dec. 16, 1930
(3)			
James Benton	Dec. 31, 1903	- Jeannette E. Beurket	

(Table V - A Cont.)

Name	Born	Married	Born
(4)			
Oliver Formwalt	Nov. 7, 1896	- Lillian Ann Fulerton	
William Ellis	May 29, 1900	- Ellen Frances Blake	
Ruby Lee	Oct. 22, 1905	- Julius Bryan Massey (and had: (a) Charles William	Nov. 28, 1931
Veral Neomi	May. 14, 1912		
Joseph Martin	June 27, 1914	(Died May 15, 1918)	
Mary Elizabeth	Feb. 26, 1921		
(5)			
Sara Louise	Oct. 3, 1903	- Raleigh D. Fralicks (and had: (a) Dorothy Nadine (w)	Mar. 17, 1922
		(b) William Jack	May 19, 1926
Cary John	Dec. 25, 1906	- Edna Virginia Smith (and had: (a) Hazel Louise	May 8, 1929
(6)			
Robert Leslie	Jan. 6, 1905		
Joel Franklin	Dec. 15, 1906	- Leilah M. Galavin (and had: (a) Marjory Ruth	Sept. 25, 1926
Byron	Sept. 15, 1909		
Annie Lee	Oct. 6, 1919		
(7)			
Mable	Mar. 7, 1907	- Robert Murdock (and had: (a) Doris	Dec. 11, 1925
		(b) Tinday	Feb. 11, 1927
		(c) Hugh	Dec. 27, 1931
		(d) Jerold	Nov. 11, 1932
Sadie	June 26, 1909	- Paul Moore (and had: (a) Harold	Dec. 4, 1931

(Table V - A Cont.)

Name	Born	Married	Born
(7. Cont.)			
Beulah	Apr. 9, 1913	- Asa Rhodes (and had: (a) Donald	Apr. 23, 1930
Joelene	May 29, 1916		
Ruth	Sept. 9, 1918		
Wilma	June 27, 1923	(Died June 27, 1923)	
Hilda	Sept. 9, 1928		

Explanation of capital letters:-

(Z) Died Aug. 5, 1889
(Y) Died Aug. 22, 1908
(X) Died Aug. 3, 1915
(W) Married: Brown Cole (and had: Frances Brown, b. July 20, 1930)
(V) Married: Austin G. Wyman
(U) Died Apr. 12, 1928
(T) Died Aug. 6, 1917
(S) Died Jan. 29, 1929
(R) Died Dec. 19, 1930
(Q) Died June 17, 1932

TABLE V - B

Mary Elizabeth Larwood:- Born, March 10, 1852, at Delina, Tennessee; married William Robert McKnight on Dec. 27, 1869; and had:

Name		Born	Died	Married
Andrew Clinton	(1)	Nov. 2, 1869 (A)		Eliz. Alzora Tuley
John William Edmund	(2)	Aug. 30, 1871		Ella Frances Hodge
James Nathaniel	(3)	Oct. 5, 1873		Annie Limeberger
Ambrose Ripley	(4)	Mar. 12, 1876		Ola Smith
Sarah Louise	(5)	Sept. 1, 1879		Henry Walter Mullins
Charles Newman		Jan. 30,		Mary Maud Summerford
Maud Elizabeth		Apr. 27,		Mathew Reynolds
George Robert		Apr. 5, 1886		Flora Pucket
Martha Mae	(9)	May 15, 1889		Leonard Byers Smith

WHO HAD:-

Name	Born	Married	Born
(1)			
Lula Mae	June 11, 1892	- Joseph C. Cathey	
Olga Lena	Feb. 19, 1894	- J. M. Pearson	
William Morgan	May 22, 1896	- Eyedth Berry (and had: (a) Madolyn Croy	Sept. 2, 1918
Benjamin Cecil	Jan. 2, 1898	- Laureta Barram	
Andrew Newman	Dec. 31, 1902	- Alma Johnson (and had: (a) Thomas Andrew	Oct. 7, 1929
Paul Tuley	May 9, 1905	- Clara Bell Kelly	

(Table V - B Cont.)

Name	Born	Married	Born
(2)			
Mattie Lou	May 15, 1896	- Leslie Dewey Strickland (and had: (a) Norma Gwendolyn	
Robert Garvan	Sept. 22, 1897		
Mary Pearl	Oct. 11, 1899	- William Brown Byers (and had: (a) Marcus Brown	July 8, 1919
		(b) Robert William	June 16, 1929
Sarah Delsie	Jan. 30, 1902	- Charles Marcus Hayes	
Fannye Belle	Feb. 8, 1907		
Margaret Ruth	May 2, 1911		
(3)			
Madena Bell			
Gemana Dell			
Gladys			
(4)			
Roy Arsborne	Dec. 30, 1914		
(5)			
William Bryan	Nov. 10, 1908		
Mary Mildred	Apr. 9, 1912		
(9)			
Leonard Ray	Jan. 20, 1911	- Mary Catherine Smither	
Mary Carolyn	Mar. 16, 1922		

Note (A):- Several conflicting dates have been furnished for the birth of Andrew Clinton McKnight. Either the date used herein, or the date of the marriage of the parent is incorrect. (J.L.)

TABLE V - C

Samuel Nathan Larwood:- Born, Feb. 15, 1856, at Delina, Tennessee; married Nancy Elizabeth Haislip (b. Apr. 4, 1854) on Apr. 5, 1874; and had:

Name	Born	Died	Married
Emma Ann	Sept. 18, 1878		Henry Isom Kent

WHO HAD:-

Name	Born	Married	Born
Ervie Lee	Nov. 16, 1897	- Susan May Ventress (A) (and had: (a) Thomas Farion	July 23, 1921
Willie D.	Oct. 11, 1906	- John Earl Caughran (and had: (a) James Homer	July 11, 1927

(A) Died Dec. 30, 1932

TABLE V - D

William Thomas Larwood:- Born, Sept. 17, 1860, in Marshall County, Tennessee; married Cornelia J. Sanders; and had:

Name	Born	Died	Married
Mary Louise	Apr. 25, 1884		Frank A. Beard
James Edmond (2)	Nov. 29, 1887		Florence A. Moore
William Robert	Oct. 6, 1889	Dec. 2, 1890	
Elmer Lester (4)	Feb. 18, 1893		Mabel Lasley

WHO HAD:-

Name	Born	Married	Born
(2)			
James William	Dec. 25, 1912		
Frank Elmer	Jan. 14, 1915		
(4)			
Alonzo	Sept. 19, 1915		

TABLE V - E

Charles Monroe Larwood:- Born, Feb. 3, 1866, in Marshall County, Tennessee married, Dec. 28, 1890, to Sarah McKendrick Brewer (b. Apr. 3, 1870); and had:

Name	Born	Died	Married
Anna Louise	July 6, 1892		
Mary Elizabeth (2)	Jan. 11, 1894		Dewey Hobson Duke
Charles Homer	Nov. 8, 1895		
Hattie Catherine (4)	Jan. 12, 1898		Harmon Phillips
Edmund Wesley (5)	Jan. 7, 1900		Emma Elizabeth Smith

WHO HAD:-

Name	Born	Married	Born
(2)			
Dorothy Pauline	Feb. 24, 1919		
Harding Dewey	May 9, 1921		
Roy Newton	Sept. 7, 1924		
Alford Kenneth	Dec. 11, 1928		
(4)			
Harold Wallace	Feb. 5, 1923		
(5)			
Mary Louise	Mar. 15, 1922		
Arlene June	Feb. 24, 1926		
Edward Wayne	Apr. 9, 1928		

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TABLE V - F

Rufus Edmond Larwood:- Born, July 4, 1870, in Marshall County, Tennessee; died, July 1, 1916; married, Apr. 5, 1887, to Mary Frances Lyons; and had:

Name	Born	Died	Married
Malisie Louise	Mar. 4, 1888		Virgil Doughty
William Calvin	Mar. 9, 1890	Oct. 15, 1890	
Ulysses Earl	Oct. 26, 1891		Elizabeth Clayton
Raymond Villard	Jan. 30, 1893	Oct. 20, 1895	
Mary Ella	Sept. 23, 1901		1. Earl Joseph Michels 2. J. F. Sears
Dorothy	Mar. 8, 1906	Mar. 15, 1906	

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